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In re Application of: )  
Castagnozzi et. al. ) Group Art: 2133  
Serial No.: 10/020,426 ) Examiner: Torres, J.  
Filed: December 7, 2001 ) Docket: applied\_114  
For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR NON- ) Customer. No.: 29397  
CAUSAL CHANNEL EQUALIZATION) ) Confirm. No.: 9539

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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

In response to an Office Action mailed on December 9, 2004, please amend and reconsider the above-mentioned application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are presented at page 2.

Remarks begin at page 17.